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TAGS: PFOR, OAS, DR, US

SUBJECT: MORE REACTIONS TO US VOTE FOR SECGEN

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1. COMMON THEME IN PRESS AND ON RADIO IS THAT US VOTE FOR ORFILA PROVES THAT OUR PRACTICE IS TO CURRY FAVOR WITH THOSE COUNTRIES AND GROUPS OF COUNTRIES MOST OPPOSED TO US. WITH DOMINICAN RECORD OF CLOSE COOPERATION, CANDIDATE FOR THIS COUNTRY COULD HARDLY EXPECT TO SUCCEED. IMPLIED COROLLARY IS OBVIOUS: IN ORDER TO GET MORE ATTENTION FROM US, GODR SHOULD BE LESS ACCOMMODATING.

2. PRESS REPORTS TAKE AMB MAILLARD'S EXPLANATION OF US VOTE TO MEAN THAT GOMEZ BERGES' PERSONAL QUALITIES WERE INFERIOR. THEY ALSO CONTEND THAT US VOTE NOT ONLY DEPRIVED GOMEZ BERGES OF NECESSARY 13TH BALLOT BUT ALSO THROUGH PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT EXPLAINING IT SET TREND AWAY FROM HIM.

3. ALTHOUGH CAMPAIGN IS CENTER OF ATTENTION HERE AND THERE WILL BE WIDESPREAD DISAPPOINTMENT IF DOMINICAN CANDIDATE IS UNSUCCESSFUL, REACTIONS HAVE FOR MOST PART BEEN WITHOUT RANCOR.
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